UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE AT KNOXVILLE

JERRY A. FOX,)
Plaintiff,)
v.) No. 3:11-CV-44) (Phillips/Guyton)
MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,)
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,)
Defendant.)

JUDGMENT ORDER

For the reasons stated in the memorandum opinion filed contemporaneously with this order, the objections to the report and recommendation of the magistrate judge filed by plaintiff [Doc. 18] are hereby **OVERRULED.** The report and recommendation [Doc. 17] is **ACCEPTED IN WHOLE** under 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and Fed.R.Civ.P. 72(b).

IT IS ORDERED, for the reasons stated in the report and recommendation, which the court adopts and incorporates into its ruling, that the plaintiff's motion for summary judgment [Doc. 13] is **DENIED**; the defendant Commissioner's motion for summary judgment [Doc. 15] is **GRANTED**; the defendant Commissioner's decision in this case denying plaintiff's application for benefits prior to January 23, 2008 is **AFFIRMED**; and this case is **DISMISSED**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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ENTERED AS A JUDGMENT s/ Debra C. Poplin CLERK OF COURT

s/ Thomas W. Phillips
United States District Judge